

St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 07.07.19

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: For all the children in the hospital

11:00 am

Baptism of Archie

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Steven Smith RIP

Monday, 08.07.19

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Kathleen McCormick RIP

10:00 am

Rosary



Tuesday, 09.07.19

Feria

10:30 am

Mass at St Mary & John's church

Wednesday, 10.07.19

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Malcolm Morris RIP

10:00 am

Rosary

Thursday, 11.07.19

Feast of St Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe

NO MASS

Friday, 12.07.19

Feria

7:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 pm

Mass: Wallace Simpson RIP

Saturday, 13.07.19

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Intentions of Ricardo and Tatiana Drosz

10:00 am

Confessions

Sunday, 14.07.19

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: Frank and Mary Kearns RIP

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Theo Butler RIP

Confessions: Sat. after 10:00am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:50 pm or on request



YOUR OFFERINGS: 30TH JUNE £376.35 (GIFT-AID £209.95)

SECOND COLLECTION FOR PETER'S PENCE RAISED £102.75

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY (14TH JULY): APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM. REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 234216

Church Cleaning this week: Team **B** (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

PARISH ADMINISTRATION: If anyone requires baptism certificates or any other written documents from the parish, please visit the parish office on Mondays & Fridays: 10.00am - 12.00noon or leave your message on the presbytery answer phone: 01902 736440 or e-mail: stpatricks220@sky.com



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Sally McNulty, Bridget Hannon, Jack Byrne, Catherine Finnegan, Doris McShane, Deacon Michael Ainsworth, Fergus Fallon, Gerry Simpson, Michael Lockett, Obed, Charito, Melchor, Darcy Jamandri, Margaret Middleton. *Names may be added to this list only with the specific permission of the infirm person for whom prayers are requested.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN JULY (part 2): James McNay, Patrick Fitzgerald, Miriam Jackson, Winifred McGrath, Benjamin Horton, Edward Woolridge, Julia Kelly, Jane Kingshott, Charles Broomhall, Enoch Brady, Ann Benion, Charlotte Parkes, Elizabeth Lane, Brigid Hanratty, Mary O'Mara, Albert Bellingham, Paul Czerniawski, John Gibbons, Ann Lewis, Mary McMullan, Lilian Knight, Vincenti Adamski.



IICSA Update This week the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse (IICSA) has published its report on the Archdiocese of Birmingham. We apologise to all victims and survivors of child sex abuse. We hope that with this Inquiry they feel that they have been listened to. Even so, words are not enough. We are committed to continuing to improve our safeguarding procedures and to listen to and learn from victims and survivors. Past failings must never happen again. The diocesan response to the report can be found at <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/> If you have a safeguarding matter to report please contact the Archdiocese safeguarding team on 0121 230 6240 or via email: safeguarding@rc-birmingham.org.

SAINT OF THE WEEK: SAINT BENEDICT (Thursday) is one of the Patrons of Europe – probably the greatest. He is known as the Father of Western Monasticism, and it was the monasteries which preserved learning and civilisation throughout the ‘Dark Ages’ which followed the fall of the Roman Empire. Moreover, it was the monasteries which cared for the poor and needy, for travellers and for orphans, who established schools and centres of learning. Benedict was born in Italy just before 500AD. It was a very dreadful time in the Church, and Benedict sought a way of life and prayer by collecting together those men who wanted to lead holy lives. For these communities he drew up guidance in his “Rule” – a basis for living and worshipping together. This Rule is remarkably wise in its provisions, in the understanding he had of human nature: so much so that it has become the basis of almost every religious rule since then. St Benedict shows us that however far from God the world may stray – and few times have been as terrible as in Benedict’s time – living a Christian life is always possible, and it can have effects of which we are not aware. St Benedict, pray for us.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE – February 2021 (Nazareth – Bethlehem – Jerusalem – Cana – Sea of Galilee – Mount Tabor – Mount of Beatitudes – River Jordan – Bethany – Jericho – Dead Sea). Cost £1,000 per person sharing. Cost includes: Return flights to Tel Aviv, airport duty & passenger taxes, 1 suitcase per person for the air-craft hold, 20kgs, 5 nights in Bethlehem, 2 nights Tiberias, entrance fees, coaching in the Holy Land, tour guide, boat ride on the sea of Galilee. For a Christian, a pilgrimage to the Holy Land can be a life-changing experience, an experience which



then makes every Bible reading come alive and have new meaning. If you are interested please speak to Gerry Simpson.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED We are looking for Parishioners willing to help with church cleaning, flowers arranging, gardening, in the Piety stall, etc.

FR DAWID WOULD LIKE TO SAY A BIG 'THANK YOU' FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT AND PRAYERS BEFORE AND AFTER HIS SURGERY.